

PLACED ON TRIAL FOR DYNAMITING

Number of Defendants
Has Been Reduced
to Forty-Six.

PLEA OF GUILTY BY M'MANIGAL

Government Bases Its Case on
Confession of Former Friend
of McNamara, Who Has
Been Held as Witness
for Eighteen
Months.

Chronology of Alleged Dynamite Conspiracy

Summer, 1905—First explosion
(railroad bridge), Miller's Falls,
Minn.; thirteen sticks of dynamite
discovered.

1905-1910—Almost 100 explosions
in Ohio, Pennsylvania, New Jersey,
Massachusetts, Connecticut, New
York, Maryland, Illinois, Iowa, Wis-
consin, Missouri, Nebraska and
Western States.

October 1, 1910—Los Angeles
Times Building blown up; twenty-
one persons killed.

December 25, 1910—Llewellyn Iron
Works, Los Angeles, blown up.

April 12, 1911—James B. McNama-
ra and Orlie E. McManigal arrested
at Detroit.

April 22, 1911—John J. McNamara,
secretary-treasurer of International
Bridge and Structural Iron Work-
ers, arrested at his office in Indian-
apolis.

December 1, 1911—McNamara
pleads guilty at Los Angeles. John
J. to murder in Los Angeles Times
Building, and James B. to having
blown up the Llewellyn Iron Works.
Both sentenced later.

February 6, 1912—Federal grand
jury at Indianapolis returns thirty-
four indictments, charging fifty-
four men with having participated
in a conspiracy illegally to trans-
port dynamite.

February 15—Almost all the de-
fendants arrested within a few
hours at a signal telegraphed to
many parts of the country.

March 12—Defendants arraigned
and plead not guilty.

October 1—Exactly two years
after the Los Angeles disaster the
trial before a Federal court begins.

Indianapolis, Ind., October 1—Jury
upon which a jury is to be chosen
for the trial of forty-six defendants
accused of complicity in a widespread
dynamite conspiracy against employers
of nonunion labor, were indicated to-
day in the examination of talesmen.

The trial was begun before Federal
Judge A. H. Anderson and the original
number of fifty-four men indicted,
headed by Frank M. Ryan, president
of the International Association of
Bridge and Structural Iron Workers,
was reduced to forty-six—the govern-
ment withdrew the charges against
three men. Orlie E. McManigal pleaded
guilty and another defendant was re-
ported "not found."

John J. Anderson, a California, also was re-
ported "not found." No sooner were
the preliminary motions ended than
Judge Anderson said: "Call a jury." It
was believed a jury would be com-
pleted in a week.

Talesmen were examined by Senator
John W. Kern and William N. Har-
dison for the defense and by District
Attorney Charles W. Miller for the
government.

At the outset Orlie E. McManigal
pleaded guilty.

Eugene Clancy and Olaf A. Tveit-
mo, of San Francisco, pleaded not
guilty. All the other defendants at
their arraignment last March had
pleaded not guilty.

Daniel J. Brophy, of Brooklyn, N. Y., a former executive board member
of the International Association of
Bridge and Structural Iron Workers,
was reported unable to appear on ac-
count of a broken leg.

Cases Dismissed.

On motion of the government the
cases against J. A. Murphy, of Peoria,
and Andrew J. Kavanaugh, of Spring-
field, Ill., and Patrick H. Ryan, of Chi-
cago, were dismissed. The government
announced it had no evidence against
them to warrant their trial.

McManigal, aged about forty years,
short, chubby and of a florid com-
plexion, entered the courtroom grin-
ing. He closely scrutinized one by
one the men with whom he asserts
he once was associated, but against
whom he now is arraigned as a prosecut-
ing witness.

"Orlie E. McManigal, do you plead
guilty or not guilty to the charges
against you?" asked Judge Anderson.

The scene was dramatic. A score
of attorneys leaned forward to hear
the prisoner's reply.

McManigal rubbed the back of his
hand across his chin and grinned
again: "I plead guilty, Your Honor,"
he said.

McManigal's plea qualified him as
a witness for the government for
which purpose he had been imprisoned
for eighteen months.

Whoever participated with the Mc-
Namara brothers in the series of dy-
namite and nitroglycerine explosions
which preceded and followed the
blowing of the Los Angeles Times
building October 1, 1910, when twenty-
one persons were killed, the govern-
ment hopes to disclose in this trial.

At the head of the list of defend-
ants, who then are brought into court
two years after the Los Angeles dis-
aster, are:

Frank M. Ryan, president of the In-
ternational Association of Bridge and
Structural Iron Workers.

Orlie E. McManigal, once known as

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STILL BATTLING AT ARMAGEDDON

Colonel Spends Day
"Fighting for Lord"
in North Carolina.

ENDS TOUR WITH RALEIGH SPEECH

His Trip Longest Ever Taken by
Presidential Candidate, Cover-
ing 10,871 Miles—Criticism
Court for Way in Which
Tobacco Trust Case
Was Handled.

Raleigh, N. C., October 1.—To-night
Colonel Roosevelt delivered the last
scheduled speech of the longest cam-
paign tour ever undertaken by a pre-
sidential candidate. The Auditorium
here, which has space for 7,000, was
crowded. Colonel Roosevelt had made
nearly a score of speeches during his
trip, and he was hoarse and weary. He
talked for an hour, then brought his
speech to a close with the words with
which had opened his campaign: "We
stand at Armageddon and we battle
for the Lord."

In this State, with its heavy interests
in the tobacco industry, Colonel Roosevelt
spoke of the American Tobacco
Company, saying that when such a
finding was reached as that handed
down by the Supreme Court in the
tobacco trust suit, a receiver should
be put in charge of the business.

"Our opponents in both the old par-
ties," he said, "have nothing to pro-
pose in regard to the regulation of
trusts except just what has already
been done. They propose nothing but
modifications of the present system.
No such modifications would change
the tobacco trust in a way which
would amount to anything."

Colonel Roosevelt said:

"My proposal is to do no damage to
business, but to punish crooked man-
agers of business. Such a showing as
was set forth in the Supreme Court
decision in the tobacco trust case
should cause the immediate appoint-
ment of a receiver for that trust, just
as would be done in the case of a na-
tional bank."

"In a case like that of the tobacco
trust the government could at once
put in a receiver to run it until every-
thing which it had been decided was
wrong had been done away with and
every objectionable feature removed.
Then, and not until then, could the
old owners come back. And they
would come back with the knowledge
that if such acts were repeated they
would suffer just as Mr. Morse, the
banker, suffered."

Colonel Roosevelt said he favored the
elimination of the middle man in poli-
tics, just as he advocated such a
change in business methods, particu-
larly in the case of middle men who
handle the products of the farm.

"The boss is the middle man in poli-
tics," he said. "The boss is perfectly
happy if he can name both sets of
candidates. You can do all the vot-
ing you want to and he will let you
do it. He will let you do it here to-
night for New York. His trip across
North Carolina from Asheville to Raleigh
was one of the busiest of his tour.
He had expected to make only a few
speeches, but at almost every station
arrangements had been made for an
address and a crowd was waiting."

The speech was a rapid
success. Colonel Roosevelt's
physician decreed it must not go on, if
he were to be responsible for the
Colonel's condition. Word was sent
to the engineer that no more stops
should be made except at the points
previously on the schedule, and tele-
grams were forwarded to various
places at which it was known Colonel
Roosevelt was expected to speak. At
several of these points the crowds as-
sembled without regard to these noti-
fications, and as the train whistled by
Colonel Roosevelt caught a blurred
picture of the people, the sound of
cheers and a few notes from the band.
When Colonel Roosevelt reached
Raleigh to-night he had traveled 10-
871 miles on the present trip.

A total of 10,871 miles.

The distance to New York brings
up the total to 10,871 miles. The ex-
-President left New York on Septem-
ber 2, and has spoken in twenty-seven
States in thirty days. He went first
into New England for a day, then
struck to the West, speaking in a
few of the central States before going
into the Northwest and to the Pacific.
Thence he traveled down the western
edge of the Continent to Los Angeles,
through the Southwest and after turn-
ing northward to Denver, began his
campaign through the South.

A new campaign hat which the Col-
onel wore when he left Oyster Bay
now bears the scars of many battles.
His coat has been tugged at from all
quarters in the midst of struggling
crowds until the Colonel said, as he
looked at it to-day, that if it would
hold together until he reached home
to-morrow he would promise never to
wear it again.

Dismissed to Attend.

Salisbury, N. C., October 1.—E. C.
Duncan, Republican national commit-
teeman from North Carolina, was at-
tached by Colonel Roosevelt in his
speech here.

"In the primaries in North Caro-
lina last spring I won," Colonel Roosevelt
said, "carrying counties by 10 to 1.
It was not as easy as it looks. The
national committee, Mr. Duncan, took
part in stealing the nomination from me.
Mr. Duncan was not engaged in high-
way robbery. It was not as easy as it
looks; it was the sneak thief business.
Mr. Duncan and the other forty or
fifty obscure, shady men on the na-
tional committee did the bidding of
the men behind them—men like those
in the tobacco trust. You know the
part the tobacco trust has played in
North Carolina and in the South."

Colonel Roosevelt was obliged to
leave the attempt to make a speech
at Salisbury. The Colonel's only address
during his trip across North Carolina
here in the day he was looked out of
his car, thinly clad and rode on the
platform in the sharp air of early
October.

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DIX HAS NO CHANCE FOR NOMINATION

He Is Eliminated From
Race for Gov-
ernorship.

OPPOSITION CAN'T BE DISREGARDED

Murphy Drops Governor, and
Now Is Weighing Qualifica-
tions of Dowling, Glynn and
Sulzer—Mack Has Boom
for Place at Head of
Ticket.

Syracuse, N. Y., October 1.—This was
elimination day for many aspirants
for the gubernatorial nomination when
the Democratic State convention as-
sembled here. To-night, Charles F.
Murphy, leader of Tammany Hall, and
those associated with him in control
of the party organization were weigh-
ing and analyzing the qualifications
of the men as party standard bearers.
Justice Victor J. Dowling, of New
York; Martin H. Glynn, of Albany,
the convention's temporary chairman, and
Chairman William Sulzer, of New York.
Late to-night a boom was started for
former National Chairman Norman E.
Mack as a compromise candidate.

Murphy and the leaders are not ex-
pected to decide upon the likely can-
didate until the convention assembles
for its nominating session Thursday.
The Tammany leader says the con-
vention is to be unbossed and that
every opportunity is to be given to
test the sentiment of the delegates
concerning candidates. Mr. Murphy's
closest advisers admitted to-night that
the name of Governor Dowling, who
had been eliminated from further con-
sideration. It was said Murphy had
found the opposition to the Governor
came from too many quarters to be
ignored.

Murphy and the county leaders were
jubilant to-night because of an un-
expected victory in the selection of
former Judge Alton B. Parker for the
convention's permanent chairman
over United States Senator O'Gorman,
whose name had been put forward by
anti-organization men.

The platform being prepared by the
resolutions committee is to be pro-
gressive in spirit and is said to be
satisfactory to friends of Governor
Wilson here.

Wilson Central Figure.

Trenton, N. J., October 1.—Governor
Woodrow Wilson was the central fig-
ure in to-day's Democratic State Con-
vention, at which a State platform was
adopted and candidates for presidential
electors nominated. The Governor
made a brief address to the conven-
tion, saying the main issue in the pre-
sidential campaign was the question
and the necessity for the elimination
of monopoly.

The Governor was chairman of the
convention's committee on resolutions,
which deliberated for nearly two hours
and then presented a platform which
was adopted without opposition. The
platform gave a recital of the more
important legislation enacted during
Governor Wilson's administration.

The main feature at the Republican
State Convention was the opposition of
the Hudson County Assembly candi-
dates to the adoption of the plank in
the convention's platform that endorsed
the administration of President Taft.
The Hudson men are Roosevelt Repub-
licans. The only thing done by the
convention was the adoption of a State
platform and the nominating of candi-
dates for presidential electors.

The Republican platform endorsed
President Taft's administration.

Governor Wilson, in addressing the
Democratic convention, said:

"I feel not only that the issues in-
volved in the national campaign are
dramatic, but that we have found
the crux of them; that we have lo-
cated the heart of the matter. Our
choice is as to whether we shall ac-
cept monopoly or destroy the processes
by which monopoly has been man-
ufactured with all its established dan-
gers and its known control over the
affairs of government. We are to de-
cide whether we shall oust our self-
constituted masters or accept them
permanently. Make one choice and
you will enjoy the confidence of the
people for the next generation. Make
the other and there will be no chance
for the people to free themselves with-
in a generation. We have taken an
unavoidable position and we know
that both branches of the Republi-
can party are the defenders of the
position that they have indefensible positions."

"If the Democratic party throughout
the nation will only get the fighting
ardor into its blood that we have felt
here in New Jersey it will have a
long and fruitful life ahead of it.
I feel so strongly that I cannot re-
strain from exhorting you to stand to-
gether with a singleness of purpose for
the high enterprise in which you are
engaged."

The Governor motored to the Inter-
state Fair, mingled with the crowds
and reached his home at Princeton at
10 o'clock to-night.

To-day was moving day for Governor
Wilson officially, politically and per-
sonally. He formally returned to the
Statehouse here from the summer cap-
ital at Seaforth. His family and their
belongings from Seaforth to Princeton.

Governor Wilson arranged for the
establishment of a separate office in
Trenton from which to conduct his
campaign for the presidency. When
not campaigning Governor Wilson will
go back and forth from Princeton to
Trenton, twelve miles each day.

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FLINN AS 'ANGEL' FOR ROOSEVELT

He Has Given \$102,000
to Colonel's
Campaign.

\$37,500 COMES FROM PERKINS

Munsey Gives \$34,000 and Hanna
\$25,000, These Sums Being
Used to Secure Nomination
at Chicago—Flinn Tells
How He Gold-Bricked
Penrose.

Washington, October 1.—William
Flinn, of Pittsburgh, Roosevelt leader
and Progressive national commit-
teeman in Pennsylvania; and Elton H.
Hooker, of New York, treasurer of the
Progressive National Committee, to-
day gave the Senate campaign expen-
diture committee some inside facts
about the primary expenses of the
Roosevelt campaign for the Republi-
can nomination at Chicago.

Mr. Flinn appeared not only to tell
of his contributions, but to answer the
charges Senator Penrose made last
August that Mr. Flinn offered \$1,000-
000 to him and Israel W. Durham in
1904 for the Pennsylvania senatorial
appointment to succeed M. S. Quay,
deceased, and that he telegraphed John
D. Archbald, of the Standard Oil Com-
pany, asking his influence.

Declares He "Lied."

The Progressive man declared that
if Senator Penrose made the state-
ment "he lied," as to the other he pro-
duced J. G. Spahn, of Pittsburgh, who
testified that he "thought" he had
signed Mr. Flinn's name to the tele-
gram to Mr. Archbald June 7, 1904; and
that he, and not Mr. Flinn, had handled
the telegrams with Mr. Archbald and
had attempted to secure the Standard
Oil influence in Mr. Flinn's support.

Probed by Senator Pomeroy, of
Ohio, who demanded a specific answer,
Mr. Flinn admitted having written an
agreement in January, 1898, in which
Senator Quay, J. O. Brown and Mr.
Flinn proposed to divide up the Fed-
eral and local patronage of Pennsylv-
ania. He declared he had "gold-ric-
ked" Senator Quay; that he never had
signed or intended to sign the agree-
ment, and that he had written it only
to allow Senator Quay's opposition to
the Republican candidate for Mayor of
Pittsburgh.

The investigation brought out the
fact that Mr. Flinn had at various
times contributed \$34,000 to the
Roosevelt, the Republican and the
Progressive campaigns in Pennsylv-
ania. Mr. Hooker, who preceded him
on the witness stand, produced records
to show that the Roosevelt National
Committee had spent \$141,657 in the
entire national primary campaign. Over
ceding the Chicago convention. Over
the sum went to Massachusetts
for the bitter primary fight there.
Mr. Hooker also produced the records
of the New York primary campaign,
where the Roosevelt forces spent \$53-
606. The records showed that George
W. Perkins had given \$18,000 to the
New York, and \$25,000 to the national
campaign; and D. W. Hanna
\$25,000 to the national campaign.

Mr. Flinn apportioned but \$39,354 as
"Roosevelt expenditures" in the state-
ment he gave the committee of the
sums he had contributed this year.
Other items given for the election of
delegates brought the total of his
Roosevelt contributions up to \$102-
000, and he admitted that he had con-
tributed 99 per cent of a money spent
to carry the State of Roosevelt in the
primary. He added that he believed
the end sought, a change of condi-
tions in Pennsylvania, was "worth the
price."

The committee to-morrow will hear
Senator Joseph M. Dixon, manager of
Colonel Roosevelt's campaign since its
beginning last February; J. G. Cannon,
president of the Fourth National Bank
of New York, who added the books of
Cornelius N. Bliss; George A. Sheldon,
treasurer of the Republican National
Committee in 1908, and Representative
George R. Weeks, who will be ques-
tioned regarding congressional cam-
paign funds, are also expected to tes-
tify during the day.

Gives to Both.

Washington, October 1.—E. H. Hook-
er, treasurer of the Progressive party,
told the committee that Charles R.
Crane, of Chicago, had contributed
\$70,000 to Senator La Follette's cam-
paign and \$70,000 to Wilson's cam-
paign prior to the Baltimore convention
practically at the same time.

Knows Nothing of It.

Princeton, N. J., October 1.—Wood-
row Wilson said to-night that he
knew nothing of the \$70,000 men-
tioned by Charles R. Crane as having
been made by C. R. Crane, of Chicago,
to the Wilson pre-convention cam-
paign fund.

Dixon Wants Fair Play.

New York, October 1.—United States
Senator Joseph M. Dixon, chairman of
the Progressive National Committee,
left for Washington to-night to ap-
pear before the Senate committee in-
vestigating campaign contributions.

"I am going to make them put the
cards on the table," declared Senator
Dixon. "I am not going to let them
make it appear that Theodore Roose-
velt accepted large contributions from
corporations and people who contrib-
uted for favors. I will force them to
subpoena Charles F. Taft, Charles D.
Hilles, George Harvey, William G. Mc-
Adoo and William F. McCowan. If they
refuse to call the men I will have
convicted that committee of the cheap
party larceny game that has ever
been played on the American people."

"There are a thousand plutocrats be-
hind Wilson and Taft, and because a
couple of wealthy men gave money to
Roosevelt, they are going to make
him the President."

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Killed In Race Course Accident



DAVID BRUCE-BROWN.

THREE ARE DEAD; OTHERS MAY DIE

Fatal Explosion Takes Place on
Torpedo Boat Destroyer
Walke.

LIEUT. MORRISON KILLED

Officers and Crew Commended
for Their Bravery Fol-
lowing Accident.

Newport, R. I., October 1.—The ex-
plosion of the forward end of the port
torpedo, together with the steam chest
on the torpedo boat destroyer Walke,
off Brenton's Reef Lightship to-day
instantly killed Lieutenant Donald P.
Morrison, of Washington, the chief en-
gineer, and wounded eight others, two
of whom, J. W. Rumpf, of Columbus,
Ohio, and H. L. Wilder, of Orlando,
Fla., both machinists mates of the
first class, died later in the hospital
ship Salace.

E. B. Crawford, gunner's mate of the
destroyer Patterson, one of the umpires
named to watch the speed tests of
the Walke, and John Delany, a
first-class fireman of the Walke, were
said to be in a critical condition to-
night. Others injured are: Lieutenant
Robert L. Montgomery, of the destroyer
Fanning, and umpire of the speed tests;
D. S. Kelly, chief machinist's mate; W.
E. Kraus, oiler; F. B. Conway, oiler.

The explosion came just as the
Walke started on a full speed contest
in company with other destroyers of
the third group.

The discipline of the crew is said to
have been perfect, and their conduct in
leaping down into the steam-filled en-
gine room to carry out their wounded
comrades brought the highest praise
from their superiors. Lieut. Charles R.
Train, the commanding officer, on the
bridge at the time, handled the situa-
tion in a way to gain personal com-
mendation from Rear-Admiral Oster-
haus, commander-in-chief of the At-
lantic fleet, who boarded the destroy-
er later.

A board of inquiry which was held
on board the Walke found that her
port turbine was destroyed. She came
into the harbor under her own steam
and will go to the New York Navy
Yard for repairs. It is believed she
will be able to take part in the great
naval review in New York this month.

Commended for Bravery.

Washington, October 1.—Lieutenant
Donald P. Morrison, killed aboard the
Walke, met death on the day a let-
ter was addressed to him by the de-
stroyer's commanding officer, Lieut. Charles R.
Train, the commanding officer, on the
board from the Walke September 22
last and rescuing from drowning an
enlisted man. This letter, which Ad-
miral Andrews wrote to-day, was in
the mail when the news of the explo-
sion reached here.

Lieutenant Morrison was the son of
the late Major Jasper Morrison, of the
Judge Advocate General's department,
and his mother, who was on a visit
to the South, still makes her home
here. Besides his mother, Lieutenant
Morrison is survived by a bride of a
year. He was born in Missouri twenty-
five years ago.

Harry Lee Wilder, machinist's mate,
was twenty-eight years old and a na-
tive of Sparks, Nev. His father, Rob-
ert L. Wilder, lives at Orlando, Fla.
Lieut. Morrison reported to the
Admiral of the Navy that the forward
end and steam chest of the port tur-
bine of the Walke blew out when she
was starting a full power trial, and
naval experts at once became greatly
interested, as a similar explosion is not
on record in naval annals.

Would Not Grand Jury.

Goshen, N. Y., October 1.—Burton W.
Gibson, the New York attorney, was
held without bail for the grand jury
on the charge of murdering his client,
Mrs. Rosa Menchik Sabo, at the con-
clusion of his examination this after-
noon.

Congressman Killed.

Festonia, O., October 1.—Congress-
man Carl C. Anderson, of Festonia, O.,
was instantly killed to-night when an
automobile in which he was riding
overturned in this city.

Went to California.

Washington, October 1.—Senator
C. J. Boies, of Washington, was
personally conducted to the sleeping
car from Washington to-day, and
left for California. He will be
back Sunday. South O. G. Goshen,
N. Y., October 1.—Advertisement.

STANDARD-SIZED CANS ARE ADOPTED

Housewives Will Be Protected in
Their Purchase of
Oysters.

LETTERS TO GOVERNORS

They Are to Appoint Bacteriolo-
gist and Chemist for New
Survey.

Washington, October 1.—If the oys-
ter packers and oyster can manufac-
turers of the country, as well as the
pure food board, have their way, house-
wives who depend from time to time
upon canned oysters for their source of
supply of this food will soon be able
to purchase oysters in standard-sized
cans, about which there can be no
question of quantity of contents, par-
ticularly of short measure.

A "gentleman's agreement," which
will result in standardizing the size
of oyster cans, was reached at a con-
ference held at the Raleigh Hotel to-
day between packers of Baltimore, the
south Atlantic and gulf coast States,
representing millions of dollars invest-
ed in the oyster-packing industry. The
agreement followed a luncheon tend-
ered to the packers by representatives
of a large can manufacturing company,
and packers from all over the eastern
and gulf seaboard came to Washing-
ton to attend it.

Dr. Doolittle to Conference.

William G. Daugherty, chairman of
the Baltimore Canned Goods Exchange,
called the packers to Washington for
the informal meeting, and they were
addressed by Dr. Doolittle, acting chief
of the Bureau of chemistry, and Dr.
Bigelow, his assistant, who explained
to the packers the working of the
pure food circular, under which the
government requires that the size of
the oyster can shall indicate the quan-
tity of contents, the packers, on their
side, pointing out to the government
officials that the law which requires
that a can shall weigh a certain net
amount is really no protection to the
consumer against short measure, for
the reason that the can can be filled
with water and made to weigh as
much, in some cases, as when it is
filled with oysters.

Packers Want Honest Can.

The packers at the conference to-
day told the government officials, also,
that they are in want of an honest
can, so that the honest packer shall
have protection against the dishonest
packer, who desires to fill his oyster
can with more or less water. This
protection sought by honest packers,
it was agreed at to-day's meeting, will
come about, to a considerable extent,
by the adoption of a set of standard
sizes of cans.

Some of the cans now used for pack-
ing oysters are four inches high,
some of them four and a quarter
inches and some of them are of other
sizes. It is to do away with these
differences that the "gentleman's
agreement" made to-day, was formed,
and it was stated that it will also
greatly benefit can manufacturers all
over the country, who will hereafter
be able to use certain set sizes of
machines for making cans, rather
than a variety of sizes, and in other
ways bring about economy in manu-
facturing.

Informally Discuss Potomac Bed.

The packers and canmakers did not
officially take cognizance of the dis-
pute now going on between Maryland
and Virginia oystermen and the Bu-
reau of Chemistry as to the alleged
pollution of Potomac River oysters.
As they were engaged to-day only upon
the subject of the container in which
oysters are packed. There was in-
formal discussion of the subject